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**U-G-BAKER**  
*KING OF LOW PRICES.*

IT is quite possible to get the grip without joining secret society.

You can ovoid getting the grip this cold weather by buying from us and wearing a good warm Overcoat, Suit, Shoes and Underwear. We still have plenty of winter wear to colse at prices that beats a farm in Texas for six bits.

There are two ways to double your money—change it into bills and fold them—another way, change from high price merchants to us.

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4 qt Stew Pans	5 cents
4 qt. Dairy Pans	5 cents
10e Shaving Brushes	5 cents
8x10 Bread Pans	5 cents
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75-ft. Galv. Clothes Lines	10 cents
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4 bars 5c Toilet Soap	10 cents
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Best Linen Tablets	5 cents
Composition Books	5 cents
50 Envelopes	5 cents
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2 gal. Tin fearing Pails	10 cents
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OUR Grocery Department is a very "hot member." We buy the quantities because we sell the quantities and—Save Money for you. We know you enjoy buying good goods at low prices, and that is an enjoyment you will experience when buying in every line in our house.

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"Small Profits and Quick Sales."

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### LEWIS AND CLARK EXPOSITION NOTES.

The Lewis and Clark Exposition, Portland, Ore., 1905.

The manufacture of gold pens will form one of the many interesting working displays at the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

A gold reduction plant in operation will be one of the interesting and instructive displays in the Mines and Metallurgy Building at the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

One of the largest meteorites ever discovered will be exhibited at the Lewis and Clark Exposition. The meteor was recently found in Nez Perce county, Idaho. It weighs 150 pounds.

California's building at the Lewis and Clark Exposition will be in the form of a maltese cross, each wing representing an old Spanish mission. California has appropriated \$60,000 for the erection of the building and the collection of a display.

Fraternal societies of the United States have organized for the purpose of erecting a Temple of Fraternity at the Lewis and Clark Exposition. Over \$20,000 have been pledged toward the project, and the erection of a beautiful and appropriate structure is assured.

Western school teachers have adopted a novel method of advertising the Lewis and Clark Exposition. They give their children as an exercise the task of writing a letter to some relative or friend in the East; extending an invitation to attend the Exposition. School children of Moscow, Idaho, recently wrote 1,100 such letters.

Ground has been broken for the Washington State building for the Lewis and Clark Exposition and work on the structure begun. The building will typify the timber wealth of the Evergreen State. The Washington legislature recently appropriated \$75,000 for erecting the building and collecting and installing a comprehensive display of the resources of the State.

An excursion that will doubtless attract great interest is one planned by F. R. Drew of New York City. Mr. Drew will conduct a train of prairie schooners from Portland, Maine, to Portland, Oregon, the latter part of the journey being along the trail followed by Lewis and Clark a century ago. The travelers expect to reach Portland in October, in time to attend the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

After a hearty meal a dose of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will prevent an attack of indigestion. Kodol is a thorough digestant and a guaranteed cure for indigestion, dyspepsia, gas on the stomach, sour risings, bad breath and all stomach troubles. N. Watkins, Lesbus, Ky., says: "I can testify to the efficacy of Kodol in the cure of stomach trouble. I was afflicted with stomach trouble for fifteen years and have taken six bottles of your Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, which entirely cured me. The six bottles were worth \$1,000 to me." Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will digest any quantity of all the wholesome food you want to eat while your stomach takes a rest—recuperates and grows strong. This wonderful preparation is justly entitled to all of its man's remarkable cures. Sold by Lewis and Clark Exposition.

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### TO THE WEST SOUTHWEST, CALIFORNIA, ETC.

Best reached via Missouri Pacific Railway, or Iron Mountain Route from St. Louis, Cairo or Memphis, greatly reduced. One-way Colonist rates on February 21, March 21, 1905, to Arkansas, Texas, Indian and Oklahoma Territories and numerous points in other Western States. Great opportunity for the home-seeker or investor. Home-seeker round trip tickets on sale every first and third Tuesdays of each month, limited 21 days. Lands are cheap, rates are low. Cheap round trip rates now in effect to winter resorts of the West and Southwest. Liberal limits and stop over privileges. Daily through Standard Pullman sleepers from St. Louis via Missouri Pacific Railway, or Iron Mountain Route, also personally conducted tourist sleepers, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays to California without change. Descriptive literature, map folders, etc., furnished free. For particulars, rates, etc., consult nearest Ticket Agent or address R. T. G. Matthews, T. P. A., Room 301 Norton Bldg, Louisville, Ky.

The date of President Roosevelt's departure from Washington for San Antonio, Tex., has been postponed because of uncertainty as to when the extra session of the Senate will end. In accordance with the President's request April 7 has been fixed as the date of the Rough Riders' reunion in Texas, instead of March 31.

A. CHICAGO ALDERMAN OWES HIS ELECTION TO CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY.

"I can heartily and conscientiously recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for afflictions of the throat and lungs," says Hon. John Shenick, 220 So. Peoria St., Chicago, Ill. "Two years ago during a political campaign, I caught cold after being overheated, which irritated my throat and I was finally compelled to stop, as I could not speak aloud. In my extremity a friend advised me to use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I took two doses that afternoon and could not believe my senses when I found the next morning the inflammation had largely subsided. I took several doses that day, kept on talking through the campaign, and I thank this medicine that I won my seat in the Council." This remedy is sold by Chas. C. Davis, the druggist.

### LEVEL GREEN

DEAR SIGNAL.—I am upon the top side of the turf yet numbered among the living but not very lively.

Some persons tell me that the people are growing better and that "Peace on earth and good will to men" will take up their abode with us that the "Wolf and Lamb" will dwell in peace together, that thieves will not break thro' nor steal any more, but how is this? The widow DeBord has lost her oats from the stack and her corn from the crib; also some thief stole a sheep from Miss Gentry's barn, her turkey and some hens, and various other parties are losing their chickens. Does this look like we are growing rapidly better? These thieves are stealing for profit and not to chase the wolf from the door. No one is forced to steal in this goodly land of ours and under the present prosperous administration. No sirree.

We think the people of Rockcastle should look into the case referred to by (Bad) Bill Newcomb in the Signal. Very likely Smith has suffered in prison sufficiently to atone for his wrong-doing, if so, why not release him?

Our farmers are pushing things with a vim unsurpassed. They are looking for the "long wet spell" which will soon put in its appearance. Much grass seed is being sown tho' clover is extremely high.

Bethreath, as spring time is again with us and seed time at the door, therefore let me admonish you again to plant an increased acreage to potatoes. There are more taters in Possum Holler now than I've ever known before at raising time, yet the price is fairly good.

Some good milch cows here for sale.—Mrs. Dr. G. R. Lawrence and "aunt Liz" gave us a short but pleasant call Monday. Come again ladie for the "shut-in" loves pleasant company at all times. Those blessed with health should remember the afflicted.

Our man who wants a "thus saith the Lord" for everything he does, has been searching the Scripture for a Statute on the use of tobacco, finally found; "He that is filthy let him be filthy still," said that filled the bill and he cewed on. Tobacco, potato (Irish), tomato and a lot more stuffs were unknown—even unheard of—by civilized men until after Columbus found America.

Din Bullock is trying to buy more lands, while Dick Tom and Harry want to sell. I wonder if these three men are brothers, or do they just live neighbors? How are Jim Hargis and Bill Taylor progressing? I understand that the jury hung in Iowa instead of hanging Taylor.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Blair, of New Haven, Ky., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Keisling.—R. W. Dallas, our barter, was in New Hope first of the week prospecting.—H. W. Hutcheson, assistant cashier of Citizens Bank, has gone to Florence, Ala., on business.—C. S. Keisling, our Lunch House man, has received official notice through Sup. Morrison that he has been appointed Chief of Police in L. & N. passenger depot in Knoxville, Tenn. We dislike very much to give up Mr. Keisling as he has been instrumental in bringing lots of business to our city.

If mud was of any commercial value Brodhead would certainly be rich.—Deputy Sheriff J. W. Tate was in Lexington last week.—Ego. Ponder contemplates taking a job brakeman.—The meeting at the M. E. church is still in progress doing much good and several members added to the church.—Wm. Krueger and a Will Fish, of Mt. Vernon, were in town Sunday.—Drummers were as thick as hops in town Monday and Tuesday. There being about 20 registered at the Frith Hotel.—Cranor Smith Lumber Co., expects to have their spoke factory in operation again by March 15.—John Crawford sold a pair of 4 year old mules to Dunn & Co., of Garrard county, for \$300.—Mr. J. E. Dunn and daughter, of Bryantsville, were visiting Mrs. Josh Dunn.—J. C. Coulter of Middleburg, Ky., and Wm. Myers, of Houstonville, were at the Albright Hotel first of the week.—Mr. Derby Huggins of Lancaster, is here, contemplating building a drugstore.

The State Capitol Commission was in session for several hours Thursday. Architect Andrews placed before the commission certain of his working drawings and specifications, and Superintendent Fleener was also present. A survey of the site has been ordered and will be made at once. At the close of the meeting the architect stated that work on the building would begin not later than June 1st next. The plans will be submitted to bidders for the construction work in a very short time.

It is said the Japanese are defeating the Russians all along the line in Manchuria.

## Special Sale Until April First.

To make room for Spring Goods, space will not permit us to mention all our Bargains.

Look at a few of them:

### DRY GOODS.

Outings	5 to 8c per yard
Cotton	4 to 5c per yard
Check Cotton	5 to 8c per yard
Flannelette	5c per yard
Flannel Skirts	\$1. Now 79c each
Dress Ginghams	5 to 8c per yard
Check Ginghams	5c per yard

### SHOES.

150 prs. boys and girls Shoes,	65c per pair
125 prs. women's Shoes,	75c per pair
175 prs. men's Shoes,	98c per pair

### HATS, CAPS AND PANTS.

Men's Hats	25c to \$1.25
Boys and men's Caps	25c
Men's Jeans Pants	\$1. Now 79c
Men's Corduroy Pants	\$1.25

### UNDERWEAR.

Men's Underwear	50c
Ladies' Union Suits	50c
Ladies' two-piece Suits	50c

### BLANKETS.

Blankets were 75c.	Now 49c per pair
Blankets were \$1.	Now 77c each
Bed Comforts were \$1.	Now 77c each

Do not wait until the last moment but come to Brodhead right now and carry away some of our bargains. We have marked our goods down so they will go. Strictly cash or produce.

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### FOR MAGISTRATE

We are authorized to announce  
GRASVILLE LEECE  
as a candidate for Magistrate in the Fifth  
district composed of Brown and Brodhead  
voting precincts, subject to the action of the  
Democrats of that district.

MRS. JEFFERSON DAVIS, writing  
to the Savannah Press, says that Gen.  
Miles for his brutal treatment to  
her husband:

"Whilst I have no recollection  
of having written to Gen. Miles,  
the letter which he quotes not only fails  
to support his previous statement in the slightest particular, but  
as its date shows, must have been  
written from the prison ship in  
Hampton Roads and when, of necessity, I was ignorant of what  
was being done with Mr. Davis,  
who had then been only four days  
in the custody of Gen. Miles. If  
the letter was written, subsequent  
events have revealed the fact that  
at that moment, when an agonized wife  
was thanking him for his apparent  
contempt in answering anxious inquiries in regard to her  
imprisoned husband, and commanding  
him to the kind care of his  
custodian, this man, by his own  
showing, was contemplating the  
immediate subjection of his helpless  
prisoner to the grossest maltreatment.  
If the letter be as Gen.  
Miles quotes it, it only serves to  
put in a clearer light, if possible,  
his continued infraction of the  
most obvious rules of veracity."

After reading the letter, Gen.  
Miles in his peculiarly pouncing  
manner said: "I will not reply to  
any insolent letter of that kind."

### POLITICS AND POLITICIANS

Gov. Hanley announced that he  
would appoint to office only total  
abstainers.

President Roosevelt will be the  
guest of the city of Louisville on  
March 28, arriving at 9 o'clock in  
the morning and probably remaining  
all day. Extensive preparations  
for entertaining him will be  
made.

H. S. McCutchen, of Russellville  
who was appointed to succeed J.  
M. Richardson, of Glasgow, as  
State Prison Commissioner, presented  
his commission and sat with the  
body. Two pardons were granted  
Tuesday.

President Roosevelt Tuesday sent  
to the Senate the nomination of the  
negro, Charles W. Anderson, to be  
Collector of Internal Revenue for the  
Second district of New York. The  
New York Senators have agreed to the appointment and will  
not oppose confirmation. The  
nomination was hurried along, it  
is asserted, because of the report  
that vigorous protests were coming  
from New York.

George B. Cortelyou Tuesday  
took the oath of office as Postmaster  
General. Upon assuming the  
office he announced that in a few  
days, as soon as he can arrange  
some minor details, he will retire  
from the chairmanship of the  
Republican National Committee. He  
will be succeeded by Vice-chairman  
Harry S. New, of Indianapolis,  
who will become the acting chairman  
of the committee.

Congress has allowed Hunter,  
Edwards and White each two thousand  
dollars for election purposes  
in the row over the seat from the  
Eleventh district. This, added to the  
ten thousand dollars which  
Hunter will draw as salary, makes  
sixteen thousand dollars paid for  
the district to be misrepresented in  
that body. It would have been  
both cheaper and better to have  
kept them all at home and elected  
the Democrat.

In an interview by telephone on  
February 26th, Gov. Beckham denied  
a report that Judge James Hargis had called on him and solicited  
his support in his trouble incident  
to indictments in Fayette and Breathitt counties charging him  
and his brother, Senator Elbert Hargis and Sheriff Ed Callahan of Breathitt, with procuring  
the assassination of town marshal

Cockrell, of Jackson. Gov. Beckham said that he had not been visited or besought by Judge Hargis or any one representing him, and denied that he had asked Judge Hargis to resign from the Democratic State Central Committee. He said that he sustained no relation to the defendants or the case and would avoid connection in any way with these cases or any affairs not concerning him. Judge Hargis denied the report that he had appealed to the Governor for support.

Secretary of the Treasury Shaw  
will retire from Cabinet Feb. 1906.

## SHOES

### AT COST.

We have a few dozen Ladies, Gents and Children's  
Shoes which will be sold at Cost—Bargains.

Come and examine stock.

A. C. HIATT,

HIATT, KENTUCKY.

### OLD HICKORY CHIPS.

[By our Associate Editor.]

There is only one cloud on President  
Roosevelt's horizon. The  
Senate is still in session.

District Attorney Jerome, of New  
York seems to have adopted the  
working theory of Roosevelt that  
candor next to honesty is the best  
policy. At the same time he makes  
the announcement that the pick-  
pockets work a system of dividing  
profits with the detective force he  
also states that he will be a candi-  
date for office again. His election  
is a foregone conclusion.

When the people broke through  
the police and military lines and rushed  
mob-like on the stand from which the President was to deliver  
his inaugural address Roosevelt re-  
mained standing with perfect com-  
posure until order had been estab-  
lished and then he addressed part  
of his speech directly to them. The  
inclination of most men would  
have been to crawl under the  
benches.

### NEWS ITEMS

The State Court of Appeals affirmed  
the decision of County  
Judge Gregory that actions by  
State revenue agents in county  
courts for the assessment of omitted  
property for purposes of taxation  
are civil and not criminal pro-  
ceedings.

Wednesday's developments at  
Denver indicated a deadlock in the  
Colorado gubernatorial contest. On  
the question of the adoption of the  
committee's report Peabody  
was five votes short of a majority,  
while it is said that twenty-two  
Republicans will stand firm in favor  
of a minority report declaring  
the office of Governor vacant. The  
adoption of the latter report would  
make Lt. Gov. Jesse McDonald  
Governor.

The report of State Inspector  
Hines on the books of County  
Clerk C. E. Graham, of McCracken  
county, showed that the official had  
been irregular, in point of time, in  
failing in numerous instances to  
report the correct amounts collected  
by him; also that as Acting Auditor  
he had collected a large amount  
of delinquent State taxes and failed  
to make report. Accompanying the  
report were checks for \$2,708.55 to cover the irregularities.

The President's inaugural address  
made it pretty clear that we want  
a big navy, not "to bully  
smaller powers," as Senator Hale  
says, but to keep from being bullied  
by larger powers.

General Stoessel, the reports an-  
nounce, was not met by any bands  
on his return to St. Petersburg.  
Probably the more important part  
to the General is that he was not  
met by any bombs.

Senator Kearn's swan song in  
the Senate against Mormonism re-  
calls Byron's words:

"Tis said swans sing before they die  
'Twere better far should some men die  
before they sing.

The House presented Speaker  
Cannon with a large silver loving  
cup at the close of the session. Uncle  
Joe accepted it but he doubtless  
would have preferred a tin dipper  
or a gourd.

A recent consular report states  
that the towel and soap have penetrat-  
ed to China. If all the laundry  
men have not left the mother country  
to come to us great things in  
the way of cleanliness may come to  
pass in the Celestial Empire.

Governor Pennypacker rode in  
the inaugural parade and seemed  
to enjoy every thing but the cameras  
of the amateur photographers along  
the way. He well knows there is  
more than one way of producing  
caricatures.

Has the country before had a  
President who could welcome with  
equal enthusiasm a crowd of cowboys  
and a Harvard College club? Roosevelt  
may be a Republican, but he is the most Democratic Pres-  
ident we have ever had.

The X-ray has been used to  
demonstrate that a crook in a prize  
bull pup's tail had been the result  
of nature and not of tampering as  
the judges believed. Thus are  
great scientific discoveries turned to  
the benefit of mankind.

Pennsylvania militiamen pre-  
served the unenviable records they  
have held for the past three or four  
inaugurations. For that number of times practically the only trouble  
given to the Washington police has  
been that caused by the members of the Pennsylvania Guard.

Because "Roosevelt luck" ex-  
tended even to the weather for his  
inauguration is no reason why Con-  
gress should decide to postpone the  
inaugural ceremonies to April  
thirteenth. There are too many  
odds against the climate on the  
Fourth of March.

Cuba which became one huge  
sign board for the advertisement of  
sign and patent medicines as soon  
as the American invasion took  
place, has retaliated now by a bill  
to make the use of patent medicine  
a crime. This country is going to  
have a "dope evil" of its  
own if the patent medicine business  
is not checked by legislation.

HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN Hair Renewer  
Always restores color to gray hair, all the dark, rich color it used  
to have. The hair stops falling, grows long and heavy, and all  
dandruff disappears. An elegant dressing.

## The Slavery of Sin

Sunday School Lesson for Mar. 12, 1905

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Comment and Suggestive Thought.

V. 31. "Jews which believed on Him."  
Not all of them accepted Jesus as their  
Saviour and Friend, but merely believed  
that His claims were well founded,  
and tried to reconcile what He said with  
their own ideas about an earthly  
kingdom. "Confine it my word." Try  
to understand what I tell you, and let  
our life be guided by it. My teachings  
and example. "My disciples." A  
useless is a leader. The most clear  
way to one's self and others that  
one truly a disciple of Jesus, is given  
by loving all men (John 13: 33).

V. 32. "The truth." Jesus is the  
truth. As we continue His discourses  
shall more and more see things as  
they are—as they really are, and  
in their right relations to one another.  
Truth shall make you free." When  
ignorance or doubt we are under  
bondage, but when we know the truth we  
are freed from anxiety, from uneasiness,  
from the desire to do wrong.

V. 33. "They answered Him." Their  
answer shows that they entirely mis-  
understand the spiritual meaning of  
His words. "Abraham's seed." De-  
pendents of Abraham. "We never lie  
about it." We were very proud, and  
it is a particularly blinding sin.

V. 34. "Whosoever committeth sin is  
a servant of sin." Every one who  
is living a life of sin is the bond-servant  
of Satan. Each separate sin is like a  
chain binding him to a sinful life. Bad  
habits prevent him from doing what he  
wishes to do right and often times  
no demon of evil binds him  
stronger or more gallingly than does  
the demon of strong drink. The  
latter is the most abject slave.

V. 35. "The bond-servant of death not."  
(Rev. Ver.) No servant can claim  
the master's name or property  
but a son has upon what belongs to  
his father.

V. 36. "The Son." Jesus. "Shall  
make you free." As the Son of God  
He has power to release from servitude  
and make it his own "friends" (John  
15: 15) and children of God.

V. 37. "I know ye are Abraham's seed."  
Jesus confirms their statement  
that, according to the flesh, they are  
descendants of Abraham, but goes on  
to show that in a spiritual sense they  
are strangers to their great ancestor  
hence do not belong to the kingdom of God,  
which is spiritual.

V. 38. "I speak unto you with My  
Father." From eternity, Jesus, the Son  
had been with the Father, and hence  
had brought to earth true reports of  
Heaven and heavenly things. "Ye do  
not hear from your father." Will  
ingly, or unwillingly, every son, to  
some degree, repeats the characteristics  
of his father. Jesus proved himself  
Son of God by being Godlike in every  
particular. Israelites proved by their  
devilish purposes and deeds that they  
were animated by the spirit of the evil  
one (Sob v. 44).

V. 39. "They answered." Jesus'  
hearers either cannot, or will not,  
understand, but go back to their old cry,  
"Abraham is our father." Perhaps  
some to-day are making the same sad  
mistake, and, because they have godly  
parents or are accounted members of  
a good church, fancy that they are  
Christians, though their lives are un-  
godly and their hearts are strangers to  
God. "If ye will, ye would do." If  
you were in spirit like Abraham, your  
lives would show it.

V. 40. "Now ye seek to kill me."  
You, as a race, are doing directly  
contrary to what Abraham would do were  
he here. Abraham would have welcomed  
even a man who brought him a  
message from God, but those who  
claimed descent from Abraham were  
fierce to kill God's own Son. At a  
later day, Jesus taught this by parable,  
and the chief priests and Pharisees understood it, yet even then did they not  
turn from their evil purpose (Matt. 21:  
23-40).

Practical Points.

V. 31. If one's belief in Christ does  
not lead him to a righteous life, it is  
not a saving faith. "Thou believest  
there is a God; thou doest well;" but  
that faith without works is dead."—Jas.  
2: 19, 20.

V. 34. Unless Christ now dwells with us,  
we cannot dwell with Him here-  
after. "Father, I will that they also  
whom hast given me be with me  
where I am."—John 17: 24.

V. 37. None but God himself can satisfy  
the soul which was created with  
Godlike appetites. "God created man  
in His own image."—Gen. 1: 27.

A SAFE COUGH MEDICINE FOR  
CHILDREN.

In buying a cough medicine for  
children never be afraid to buy  
Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.  
There is no danger from it and relief  
is always sure to follow. It is  
especially valuable for colds, croup  
and whooping cough. For sale at  
Chas. C. Davis' drugstore.

The estimated damage by the  
ice gorge since February 13, is \$600,  
800.

## To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets.

Seven million boxes sold in past 12 months.

This signature,

E. W. Gove

Cures Grip  
in Two Days.

on every  
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WE are selling WINTER CLOTHING at less than  
half what you will pay for it elsewhere.

Come and examine for yourself,  
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Brodhead, Ky.

—COMPLETE LINE—

Coffins, Caskets and Robes.

All Mail, Telegraph or Tele-

phone orders Promptly

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The plague has broken out in  
Saharapur, India, a city of 70,  
000 inhabitants. Every quarter of  
the city is said to be infected, and  
the Government has practically  
abandoned efforts at quarantine.  
Sore distress is said to

## MT. VERNON SIGNAL

MT VERNON, KY., MAR. 10, 1905

79 Call up "No. 29" when you want to communicate with SIGNAL.



### TIME TABLE

14 north.....	12:06 p m
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25 South.....	1:10 a m

JAS. LANDRUM, Agent.

Phone No. 58.

Entered at the Mt Vernon, Ky. Postoffice as second-class mail matter.

### PERSONAL

Mrs. Estes will move to Junction City.

Miss Fannie Sparks spent Sunday with homefolks.

Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Myers were in Cincinnati Saturday.

Miss Hedia Sayers was the guest of relatives here this week.

Born to the wife of S. C. Frauklin Monday, a fine boy baby.

Miss Mat Williams will entertain at the Flinch Club this evening.

Mrs. Matilda Houk celebrated her seventy-ninth birthday Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hysinger are rejoicing over their first born—a girl.

Morris Brown is now operator for the Missouri Pacific, at Gyp sun, Kan.

Miss Maud Hansel has been very sick for several days, but slightly better to-day.

Judge Colyer has moved to the McFerron property in the Northern part of town.

J. T. Gentry and wife, of Lebanon Junction, visited relatives here and in Pulaski this week.

A brother of Robert K. Powell, from Jackson county, has moved P. W. T. Davis' property.

M. Norton, of the firm of Norton & Hamlin, Level Green, here yesterday and left with office a nice order for job work.

### LOCAL

FOR SALE—One house and lot in White's addition. W. T. Davis.

Elsie Langford will have his examining trial today, provided the witnesses all arrive.

W. J. Sparks made his contract for ballast for the K. C. R. R. a few days ago, which is by odds the largest contract ever given by that division.

FOR SALE—One number one milch cow 4 year old with calf one month old. Extra good milker. J. T. PURCELL,

Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Oscar Hamm and the Sayers brothers have moved their sawmill to the Sayers tract of timber and will begin cutting right away. It is a very fine boundary of timber.

Wall paper, mouldings, etc. Samples showing all designs, will be brought to your home at any time. Picture frame mouldings of any kind or colors.

HENRY BALES,

Feb 10-2 m Mt. Vernon, Ky.

The Lent season began Wednesday which is known as Ash Wednesday. The Richmond Register adds the following bit of history of the forty days of the Lent period, beginning with Ash Wednesday and ending with Easter Sunday:

'Tis his historic period of forty day until Easter is observed by the Roman Catholic and Episcopal churches, to commemorate the fast of Christ in the wilderness. Tuesday, the last day before Lent is known as Shrove Tuesday, Mardi Gras or Pancake Tuesday. It was formerly kept as a fast day by those preparing for the fast and penitential offices on Ash Wednesday. The early English were shiven on that day, and in the evening ate pancakes and made merry. The Latin races still keep Mardi Gras, meaning literally "fat Tuesday," as the last day of the carnival before Lent, and the fun waxes fast and furious. New Orleans and several other cities of the United States observe the day with gorgeous ceremonies. Ash Wednesday, so called from the practice of the priests in marking the foreheads of penitents with ashes in token of their sorrow, is the first day of the Lent season of forty days exclusive of six Sundays Easter comes at the end of forty days, and determines when Lent begins, being always the first Sunday after the fourteenth day of the calendar moon. This year Easter comes on April 23.'

The log and lumber men along Rockcastle river and its tributaries are again made happy by the rise in the river. Thousands of logs valued at over one-half million will be brought down the river, if the tide is sufficient.

We announce in this issue Squire Granville Leece, as a candidate for re-election for Magistrate in the Fifth district composed of Browns and Brodhead precincts. Mr. Leece, during the time which he has served as a member of the Fiscal Court, has proven himself a man worthy in every particular, of the trust imposed upon him and his every duty has been faithfully discharged.

**VALUE OF ADVERTISING**—One of the good substantial citizens of the county called at this office a few days since, and seeing the advertisements as they appear in forms, remarked: "A few years ago I never pretended to read an advertisement but now, I never start to a store that I do not first look at the paper to see if I can find the article advertised, which I want and where I can get it the cheapest." This man has learned the value of advertising to the buyer as well as the dealer.

There are quite a number of conflicting reports as to changes which the railroad company will make at Livingston. Some say that the whole of Livingston will be taken to Corbin, some one thing and some another. The truth of the matter is no one knows what will be done, save the officials and these flying rumors don't amount to a snap of the finger, for they are usually given out by some one who does not know a thing about it. When Livingston is moved, then it will be time to talk.

The Rev. John Timothy Stone, pastor of the Brown Memorial church, Baltimore, will preach at the Presbyterian church at this place next Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Rev. Stone is one of the most learned and eloquent of all the Presbyterian ministers, and those who fail to hear him on this occasion, will miss a rare treat. Through the influence of Dr. D. McDonald Rev. Stone and his congregation have become interested in the educational work at this place and his visit to Mt. Vernon at this time is to take some steps towards building an industrial department in connection with the school

The State Board of Equalization convened at Frankfort last Tuesday. Organization was effected by the election of M. J. Meagher, of Frankfort, Chairman; J. L. Newman, Chief Secretary, and P. G. Phillips, of Elizabethtown, and G. L. Willis, of Shelbyville, Assistant Secretaries. These expert accountants will at once proceed to compare the transcripts furnished from each county preparatory for action of the Board. There are yet fifty county assessor's books not received by the Auditor, and all but about fifteen Clerks of the State subject to indictment and fine for failure to send in the transcripts as the law requires.

**THE LOGS AT FORD.**  
The past week has made exciting times on the river. During the cold spell 200,000 logs were jammed in front of Irvine, stretching eight miles up and down the river. With the thaw they began move down, while the lumber plants attempted to guide their movement. In this they were quite successful and now, the great mass safely harbored in the booms at Ford, Valley View and other points. This is how the work was done: The head of the log jam was near fifty miles above Ford. Gasoline boats were put in commission; about 300 experienced rivermen were employed. The breaking crews went ahead of the boats. Some carried axes and cut holes in the ice. Others carried poles and the tips of which were attached four-ounce phials nearly filled with powder, fitted with fuse and sealed. The man with the pole lights the fuse and thrusts the charge into the water under the ice. A dull explosion follows; there is a slight upheaval, the ice breaks away in great sheets and floats down the river. The boats, pushing and straining through the ice, followed the breakers, and in that manner the work went steadily on day and night.

The Burt & Brabb Company alone used over 175 kegs of powder, about 20,000 four-ounce phials and over thirty miles of fuse.

In the mass were about 30,000 logs belonging to the Swan-Day Company, of Beattyville; the Burt & Brabb Company have about 75,000 logs; the Ford Lumber Company about 30,000; about 10,000 logs have no marks, and about 50,000 belong to Valley View—Winchester Sun-Sentinel.

### LIVINGSTON

John Brown, of Mt. Vernon, was in town Wednesday.—Joe Magee is on the sick list.—Te Griffin and Will G. Mullins are in Louisville this week.—Dr. W. J. Childress was called to Hazel Patch Tuesday.—W. C. Swinford, of Brodhead, was here Tuesday.—Steve Carson of Jellico, Mrs. Mary Peale of Altamont, and Mrs. Martha Brown of Quail, were called here on account of the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Mahala Carson.—Miss Alma Newland, of Lebanon Junction has been the guest of Mrs. Butcher, this week.—Mrs. Thos Daniels is visiting her mother, Mrs. Cable, at Rowland.—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hocker attended the burial of the little son of Dick Hocker, at Pittsburg, Sunday.—The closing exercises of the public school will be given at the school house, Saturday evening. Everybody welcome.—Hon. Sam Ward is slowly improving. Mesdames, Will Ward, Harry Magee, Roy Mullins and Brack Hayes, Miss Bertina Mullins, little Margaret Singleton and Walter Browning are on the sick list.—Mrs. Emerson Rice and son Earl, returned Tuesday, after an extended visit in Campbell county.—Mrs. A. N. Bentley has returned home from Louisville and Lebanon Junction.—Mrs. Ella Franklin and little daughter of Wildie, are the guests of Mrs. Brack Graves—Miss Florence Warren, of Hazel Patch, is the guest of Mesdames, Geo. Reynolds and Ballard Mullins.—Mesdames Geo. Griffin and Egbert Hayes entertained a number of kinfolks, with a good dinner last Sunday. The guests were too numerous to mention.—Mrs. J. S. Cooper visited friends in Mt. Vernon last week.

### Sheriff's Land Sales

I or one of my deputies will, on Monday, March 27, 1905, (being county court day) at the front door of the court house in Mt. Vernon, Ky., sell for taxes for the years of 1904 and 1903, the following tracts of lands. Sales will be made between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m.

H. L. TATE, S. R. C.

DIST. No. 1

Name No acres T & C

Owens, Joe 30 4 30

Riddle, heirs 200 19 66

DIST. No. 2

Brown, Pauline 35 4 17

Crawford, Perim h'r's 50 4 45

DIST. No. 3

Adams, Leonard 78 6 81

Flannery heirs 30 2 28

Moore, Sallie 70 4 46

McCree, Joseph 10 3 45

DIST. No. 4

Abrams, Walter 60 4 04

Baker, G. W. 6 1/2 2 vs. 5 89

Croncher, Willis 8 3 32

Gadd, Jno. G. 30 3 vs. 6 73

Gadd, W. F. 20 4 55

Gadd, Mary J. 50 4 22

Gadd, Caleb 30 5 60

Gadd, Harrison 50 4 55

Gadd, W. C. 25 2 vs. 4 38

Hammonds, S. P. 50 2 vs. 9 28

Linville, John 60 7 47

Lowman, Richard 50 2 98

Miller, W. L. 30 6 50

Miller, F. F. 28 3 25

Reed, R. C. 40 4 04

McClanahan, Verge 50 5 75

Singleton, Willis 100 2 vs. 6 09

Sims, Martha 46 5 99

Simpson, Henry 60 7 11

Wilson, John 65 4 33

DIST. No. 5

Barrett, James 100 5 02

Burnett, Boone 22 4 04

Chasteen, B. S. 15 3 32

Daugherty, Thomas 200 7 03

Mullins, Lury 18 2 40

McGuire, J. W. 48 4 04

DIST. No. 6

Gill, W. R. 28 4 04

Head, Thomas 50 4 85

Miller, Andrew 30 4 04

DIST. No. 7

Aldridgie, Miller 1 town lot 6 91

Clark, Geo. 15 4 04

Browning, Elbert 50 3 55

Cotton, Edwin 60 2 vs. 7 55

Coffey, Joe, n r, 1 town lot 10 83

Drew, Geo. 112 6 00

Lamb, D. T. 20 3 45

Luxton, Coleman 221 7 83

Mullins, Ballard 1 town lot 6 50

Mullins, Jas. C. 1 town lot 7 91

Pettit, Sarah 100 3 00

Silvers, John 10 4 04

Stuckey, J. R. 1 town lot 10 90

DIST. No. 8

Arnold, Geo. 1 3 55

Boon, Martha 37 3 00

Renner, W. A. 75 4 28

Hammock, Geo. n r. 100 3 48

Southard, Dan 30 4 04

Whitloper, Elizabeth 50 3 28

DIST. No. 9

Brown, J. C. 30 2 96

Bullock, Elijah 100 4 55

Cash, Jemima E. 13 2 98

Edwards, J. B. & bros. 112 5 45

Gentry, Mrs. Sallie 100 5 92

Hammon, G. M. 150 7 08

Head, Thos. 50 3 72

O'Neal, W. H. 32 3 02

Renner, Mrs. Lavina 150 5 92

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# PRICES CUT 1-2 IN TWO.

We have sold our store building and must close out our goods at PRICES CUT HALF IN TWO. Come and buy your Shoes, Shirts, Overcoats and Clothing of all Kinds. We have a nice line of winter Dress Goods, that you can buy at your Own Price.

COME AND LOOK AT OUR LARGE STOCK OF GENERAL MERCHANDISE.  
F. KRUEGER & SONS,

Mt. Vernon. Kentucky.

#### ADJOINING COUNTIES

John Childress, of Pineville, was accidentally killed at Richmond, Ind., where he was employed.

William Jennings Bryan will be at Williamsburg April 18th, under the management of the Williamsburg Lecture Course. His subject for the evening is: "The Value of an Ideal."

George Humphreys was killed by a train at Middletown.

A company is being organized to construct a modern opera house at Barbourville. The building will be a three-story brick and besides the opera house will contain a lodge room and office rooms. Most of the required capital has already been secured and the prospects are for its construction this summer.

#### A DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

To draw the fire out of a burn, or heal a cut without leaving a scar, use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A specific for piles. Get the genuine. J. L. Tucker, editor of the Harmonizer, Centre, Ala., writes: "I have used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve in my family for piles, cuts and burns. It is the best salve on the market. Every family should keep it on hand." Sold by Mt. Vernon Drug Co.

New York rapid transit rolling stock is to be augmented by two cars, each 8,000 feet long, containing 2,700 seats, and seating capacity of 8,000 passengers, says a New York telegram to the Chicago Interior-Ocean. The motive power will be electricity and the speed from nine to twelve miles an hour.

There will be only two stops in twenty-four hours, one in the early morning and one at night.

These cars will take the form of a "moving platform" railroad, run under ground through Thirty fourth street from the East river to the North river.

The construction is in the hands of a company which made and operated similar roads at the Paris and Chicago world's fairs.

The moving platform is to all intents a regular railway, propelled by electricity. There are no stops, no interruption of traffic, and at all times are ample seating capacity. The continuous line of seats are placed a yard apart; each seat holds three persons, who sit facing in the direction the car is going. The car itself is run on a platform which rests above the set of wheels.

As the wheels are stationary and rubber-tired there is no noise nor jar. Next to this train platform there is another platform, also on wheels and traveling in the same direction at the rate of six miles an hour. Next to this second platform is a third, traveling at the rate of three miles an hour.

A passenger steps from the regular station platform and reaches the three miles an hour platform, then from this to the second or six mile an hour platform.

From this, in like manner and with no inconvenience, he reaches the nine mile an hour platform and takes his seat. On reaching his station he alights by a similar process of diminishing speed.

The moving platform, its proprietors declare, can deliver 47,520 seated passengers per hour at any given point, whereas the subway has only a capacity of 28,080.

#### FOR AN IMPAIRED APPETITE.

Loss of appetite always results from faulty digestion. All that is needed is a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will invigorate the stomach, strengthen the digestion and give you an appetite like a wolf. These tablets also act as a gentle laxative. For sale at Chas. C. Davis' drug-store.

Two thousand Japanese troops have been landed at Shenguduk, north of Korea.

The strike troubles are being renewed in all the important industrial centers in Russia. At St. Petersburg 50,000 men are out, and threats of a general strike are made unless the demands of the workmen's representatives are granted by the government.

**Queen & Crescent Route.**  
SHORTEST LINE AND QUICKEST SCHEDULES  
BETWEEN  
Cincinnati, Lexington, Chattanooga,  
Knoxville, Asheville, Charleston,  
Savannah, Atlanta, Jacksonville,  
Birmingham, New Orleans, Shreveport  
and Texas Points.

FOR INFORMATION, RATES, ETC. ADDRESS  
E. A. AIKEN, Trav. Pass'r Agt., 89 E. Main St., Lexington, Ky.  
W. A. GARRETT, Gen. Mgr., W. C. RINEARSON, Gen. Pass. Agt., CINCINNATI.

#### LAND, STOCK AND CROP

#### Commissioner's Sale

ROCKCASTLE CIRCUIT COURT.  
The J. P. Frank Wholesale Grocery and Hardware Co., etc., etc., vs. Judgment.

F. H. Hardy, etc., vs. Judgment.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Rockcastle circuit court at its February term, 1905, I will proceed to offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in Mt. Vernon, Ky., on Monday the 27th day of March, 1905, (being the first day of county court) between the hours of 10 and 3 o'clock, on a credit of six months, bearing 6 per cent, interest from date of sale until paid, the following described property, to-wit:

A tract of land located in Rockcastle county, Ky., on the waters of Roundstone creek and bounded as follows: Beginning at two whiteoak and pine-southwest corner of said tract of land, also a corner to an old survey, made in the name of DeGraffin—thence running with his line south 86 west 100 poles to a whiteoak and two hickories; thence north 100 poles to the highest point of a small hollow; thence north 86 west 100 poles to two whiteoak and dogwood to a corner in the above named tract; thence with a line of the same southeast 160 poles to the stakes of the beginning, supposed to contain 100 acres, more or less.

The purchaser will be required to give bond with approved surety, having the force and effect of a judgment for purchase price. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

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A tract of land located in Rockcastle county, Ky., on the waters of Negro creek, and bounded as follows: Beginning at three dog-woods on a ridge, corner to Joseph Reynold's 10-acre tract, also a corner to an old survey, made in the name of William Roberts also John Haggard; thence west 100 poles to a whiteoak and pine-south 100 west 80 poles to an ash, birch, oak and gum on the bank of a branch; thence south one half, west 75 poles to a whiteoak and beech on the tail-kiln fork of Negro creek, south 80 1-2 east (call) 112, but 176 poles to a whiteoak and pine in line of Haggard and Brannaman; thence this line north 24 1-2 west 100 poles to a stake; thence 60 3-4 west 66 poles to the beginning, containing 91 acres, more or less, and known as the William Haggard 50-acre patent.

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A tract of land located in Rockcastle county, Ky., on the waters of Clear creek and bounded as follows: Beginning at a sugar tree and fallen poplar, it being the corner to a survey of James Hargrave, Shanksbury on a hillside, below an old field; thence north 80° west crossing a large branch at 45 poles, in all 90 poles to a whiteoak and sugar tree standing on the north side of a branch; thence north 83° west 74 poles to a hickory and maple; thence south 4 east 68 poles passing a black walnut and sugar tree stump; Caloway's northeast corner of his upper 1,000-acre survey to the south of the court house in Mt. Vernon, Ky., on Monday the 27th day of March, 1905, (being the first day of county court) between the hours of 10 and 3 o'clock, on a credit of six months, bearing 6 per cent, interest from date of sale until paid, the following described property, to-wit:

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